

CONFERENCE ON CLASSICAL & LUTHERAN EDUCATION IV

WHEN:

July 1-3, 2002

- Registration: 12:00-1:20 Lobby of Todd Wehr Auditorium, July 1
- Conference closing: Noon, July 3

WHERE:

Concordia University Wisconsin
Mequon, WI

THEME:

“Teaching Content Classically”

A hallmark of classical Lutheran education is an emphasis not just on process but on content, not just “how” to teach, but “what” to teach. Since few teachers or homeschoolers who are giving their pupils a classical education actually had one themselves, help is needed! This conference will give participants both knowledge (from the American Revolution to Christian Apologetics) *and* insights into how to teach each subject in a classical way (mastering the trivium of knowledge, understanding, and personal application).

SPEAKERS:

Special Guests: Lutheran Hour speaker Wallace Schulz & his wife Kathy

Dr. & Mrs. Schulz have extensive experience as teachers and educators, and recently have been giving special study to the needs of our Lutheran Schools.

Plus, an array of other Lutheran educators and experts on classical Lutheran education.

WORKSHOPS:

Each block of sectionals will include workshops emphasizing homeschool issues (H), theological education (T), curriculum (C), and practical looks at classical Lutheran education in action (P).

Special seminars on “Content” and “Method” will feature presentations by Concordia faculty members on the American Revolution, Science, and Literature. These will be followed by a panel and collaborative discussions on how this content might be taught using classical methods.

CCLE IV PROPOSED SCHEDULE

MONDAY, JULY 1

- Noon-1:20: **Registration**
1:30-2:20: **Introduction:**
“What Is Classical Lutheran Education”
G. Veith
- 2:30-3:20: **Sectionals A**
- “Teaching Christian Apologetics”
S. Hein (T)
 - “Teaching the Spaulding Method: Phonics, Handwriting, Spelling, Reading & Writing”
K. Gaub, L. Snyder, B. Garwood, D. Stroup (C)
 - “Reading at Home”
Bruce Gee (H)
- 3:30-4:20: “Luther on Education”
J. Brondos
- 4:30-5:20: **Vespers**
5:30: **Check into Rooms in Regents Hall**
6:00: **Picnic by the Lake**
- Evening Activities:** SUMMERFEST (America’s largest music festival, Milwaukee lakefront). Order tickets at www.summerfest.com. For those not wishing to attend Summerfest we will be showing “Babette’s Feast.”

TUESDAY, JULY 2

- 8:30-8:50: **Chapel**
9:00-10:20: “What Ingredients Are Basic to the Recipe of Lutheran Education”
W. & K. Schulz
- 10:30-11:20: **Sectionals B**
- “Catechesis”
P. Bender (T,P,C,H)
 - “Visions of Excellence: A Look Inside the Classical Curriculum at Mt. Hope – It Works!”
K. Gaub, L. Snyder, B. Garwood, D. Stroup (C)
 - “Teaching the Reformation Through Its Great Theological Debates”
S. Hein (T,C)
 - “Teaching Western Civilization: The Classical & Medieval Periods – What Should Be Taught & Why”
K. Hein (H,C)
- 11:30-12:20: **Lunch**
12:30-1:20: “From Wittenberg to Concordia: The Lutheran Educational Heritage”
P. Ferry

- 1:30-2:20: **Content Sectionals**
- “The American Revolution”
W. Cario
 - “Science”
M. Korte
 - “Literature”
G. Veith
- 2:30-3:20: **Panel Discussions of Methods**
- Teaching “The American Revolution” Classically
 - Teaching “Science” Classically
 - Teaching “Literature” Classically
- 3:30-4:20: “The Place of Rhetoric in Classical Lutheran Education”
J. Tallmon
- 6:00-7:30: **Banquet**
E. Christian Kopff, speaker
- Evening Activity:** The movie version of “The Hammer of God.”
- ### WEDNESDAY, JULY 3
- 8:30-8:50: **Chapel**
9:00-9:50: **Sectionals C**
- “The Gospel in the Classroom: Teaching & Production”
R. Schaibley (T)
 - “So You Want to Go Classical”
S. Kieser (P)
 - “Teaching U.S. History & Its Great Literature”
S. Anderson (C,H)
 - “Daily Liturgical Worship in a Classical Lutheran School”
J. Hill (T)
- 10:00-10:50: “Founding an Organization for the Training, Accrediting, Recruiting, and Encouraging of Classical Lutheran Educators”
S. Kieser
- 11:00-11:50: **Sectionals D**
- “Latin and the Classical Christian Curriculum: An Apologia and Practical Suggestions”
E. Christian Kopff (H)
 - “Imitatio: Cultivating Style, Eloquence and Imagination Through Oratory”
J. Tallmon (C,H)
 - “Art Guilds for the Lutheran School”
K. Hughes & R. Pollock (P)
- 12:00: Chartering Ceremony & Closing Service

THE FOUNDING OF AN ORGANIZATION

A major undertaking at this conference will be the founding of a permanent, official organization for Classical Lutheran Educators, at home or in schools. This organization will function, in an ongoing way to serve as a resource – reviewing curriculum, training teachers, serving accreditation needs, identifying and recruiting teachers and headmasters interested in this approach, etc.

At this conference, the needs of the participants will be discussed and an organization will be established accordingly. After discussions throughout the conference, the plan is to conclude with a chartering ceremony. Be part of this historic event.

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Studying the Implications
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